

Addendum No.1, IFB 15-32



CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS
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To: Prospective bidders IFB 15-32, Ford Box Van

From: Orazio DeLuca, MCPPO, Contract Manager

Date: November 6, 2014

Re: Questions & Answers, Confirmation of Bid Opening

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The City is issuing this addendum to IFB 15-32 Ford Box Van, to make the following clarifications:

**1. The Bid Opening Date will remain the same:
Wednesday, November 12, 2014 at 11:00 A.M.**

2. Questions and Answers:

Q#1 The only trim level for a 2015 E350 cutaway is an XL (no XLT). Should I bid an XL?

A #1 The XL Power Group is acceptable in lieu of an XLT (which is not available for the Cutaway E350) "Provided the bidder meets our minimum requirements such as but not limited to the Trim and Additional Equipment Clause":

Trim and Additional Equipment:

- High Series Exterior Upgrade Package,
- INCLUDING: Front Chrome Bumper,
- OEM Chrome Grille assembly and surround,
- Dual Sealed Beam Fixed Lens Headlamps,
- (4) Up fitter Integral Switches,
- Tube Steps or Running boards,

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- Factory or Dealer installed Molded Mud Guards,
Factory or Dealer installed Window Vent Shades (Window Deflectors).

Q #2 Power telescoping trailer tow mirrors w/power heated glass, heated convex spotter mirror is not an available option for the E350 cutaway. Should I bid the Manual Telescopic Trailer Tow Mirrors with Manual-adjust flat lens or the Manual Telescopic Trailer Tow Mirrors with **Power**-adjust flat lens?

A #2 Manual Telescopic Trailer Tow Mirrors with **Power**-adjust flat lens ARE acceptable

Q #3 What type of ladder racks do you want? 3 bar roof mounted, with a ladder mounted at the rear of the body to climb up and store the ladders or a prime design ladder rack were you use a pole to bring the ladder down from the roof of the box.

A #3 The Ladder Rack System should be compatible with the Unicell Body Company requirements. A prime design ladder rack system (where you use a pole to bring the ladder down from the roof of the box) is acceptable and preferred.

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